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For: FAST LOCALIZATION OF ELECTRICAL  
FAILURES ON AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT  
SYSTEM AND METHOD

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**FIRST PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Prior to examination on the merits, Applicant respectfully requests entry on this Preliminary Amendment for the above-captioned patent application.